Abstract

Fertiliser

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The present invention provides a liquid fertiliser comprising a mixture of a salt of phosphorous acid together with either a thiosulphate such as ammonium or potassium thiosulphate and/or a salt of salicylic acid or salicylamide. The use of this combination as a foliar spray, soil drench or irrigation component produces a greater fertiliser effect (on plant vigour and growth) and greater resistance to or control of parasitic fungal diseases, than each of the components applied individually or any combination of just two components.